# **Fiscal Note**

# State of Alaska 2021 Legislative Session

Bill Version: HB 41 Fiscal Note Number:

(H) Publish Date: 3/31/2021

Department: Department of Fish and Game Identifier: HB41-DFG-CFEC-3-19-21

Title: SHELLFISH PROJECTS; HATCHERIES; FEES Appropriation: Commercial Fisheries

Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission Sponsor: Allocation:

Requester: (H)FISHERIES OMB Component Number: 471

**Expenditures/Revenues** 

Note: Amounts do not include in	nflation unless o	otherwise noted	below.			(Thousand	s of Dollars)
		Included in					
	FY2022	Governor's					
	Appropriation	FY2022		Out-Ye	ar Cost Estima	tes	
	Requested	Request					
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>	FY 2022	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services							
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
Total Operating	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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None							
Total	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

#### **Positions**

Full-time				
Part-time				
Temporary				

Change in Revenues

None							
Total	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2021) cost: 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required)

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2022) cost: 0.0 (separate capital appropriation required)

Does the bill create or modify a new fund or account? No

(Supplemental/Capital/New Fund - discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

#### ASSOCIATED REGULATIONS

Does the bill direct, or will the bill result in, regulation changes adopted by your agency? Yes If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 07/01/22

#### Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:

Not applicable, initial version.

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### FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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# **Analysis**

This legislation would create a new chapter in Title 16 allowing for the creation of shellfish enhancement projects, similar to salmon hatcheries. If enacted, the Commissioner of Fish & Game could issue permits to non-profit corporations seeking to engage in shellfish enhancement activities. The Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission (CFEC) currently issues special harvest area permits to salmon hatcheries, and under the provisions of this bill would issue special harvest area permits to shellfish enhancement enterprises. The Limited Entry Act would further be amended to provide that those holding special harvest area permits for shellfish could employ any gear designated as legal by the Board of Fisheries. CFEC does not anticipate any additional fiscal impact if this legislation is enacted.

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